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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF OREGON**

3:20-mj-215

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**v.**

**JESSE HERMAN BATES,**

**Defendant.**

**MOTION TO SEAL COMPLAINT AND  
ARREST WARRANT AND RELATED  
MATERIALS**

**UNDER SEAL**

The United States of America moves the Court for an order sealing the Criminal Complaint, the supporting Affidavit, the Arrest Warrant, the return, this motion, and the resulting order because, as referenced in the Affidavit supporting the Criminal Complaint and Arrest Warrant, disclosure of the Criminal Complaint documents at this time may result in flight from prosecution, the destruction of or tampering with evidence, intimidation of potential witnesses, and/or otherwise seriously jeopardize an investigation.

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WHEREFORE, the government requests that this Motion, the Order, and the Criminal Complaint, and Affidavit for Complaint and Arrest Warrants for the defendants described herein, be filed under seal, except for a copy to the Affiant and investigating agency for their investigative needs.

The government further requests that the government be authorized to provide copies of the Criminal Complaint, and Affidavit for Complaint and Arrest Warrants and any further pleadings to attorneys for any defendants in this case as part of its discovery obligations.

Dated: August 25, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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